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Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated October 6, 2005 for which a three-month period for response was given. A petition and petition fee for a two month extension of time are attached hereto making this response timely filed on or before March 6, 2006. In view of the amendments to the claims and the remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.